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Case No. 5297/187

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Applicant(s) : Brian H. SILVER

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RESPONSE TO SECOND NOTICE OF RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

This is responsive to the Examiner's Office Action of February 14, 2006 in which an election requirement was required. Applicant hereby elects Group I, drawn to a nipple, and more particularly to the embodiment shown in FIG. 13 (Nipple 410). Independent Claims 1, 14, 15, 16, 19, 30, 39, 70, 71 and 72 read on the species elected. Accordingly, Claims 1-16, 19-60, 70-72 are believed to read on the nipple shown in FIG. 13.